

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Tuesday
Fair, continued cold

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS

SILVER	\$.99 1/2
SILVER, FOREIGN	.56 1/2
COPPER	.14
LEAD	4.70

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REPUBLICANS FIRE OPENING GUN OF CAMPAIGN

Ulster Killings Result in Situation Becoming Dangerous

FINANCIAL
PROMOTER
WRECKAGE
ENORMOUS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—While Raymond Bischoff, the "boy promoter," was explaining to Judge Landis what had become of approximately \$7,000,000 entrusted to him by thousands of families in Chicago's stock yard district, several hundred persons stormed his office, searching for a man they declared had brought them financial ruin. Extra police were called to control the crowd, which shouted threats against the 25-year-old broker, and it was only when they had been assured that Bischoff was behind jail bars that the crowd dispersed.

Bischoff, under detention in connection with an admitted shortage of \$4,500,000 as a result of financial dealings with approximately 6000 residents of the Chicago "back of the yards" district, blamed a lucky deal with a friend's \$260 for his continued transactions which have involved him so heavily. "My friend begged me to play the market with his money, saying his creditors were pushing him," Bischoff is quoted as saying. "I consented, doubling his money in a week. He told all of his friends, and I was immediately bedegged with similar requests. That was the beginning of it."

While Bischoff insisted that he played a lone hand, search has begun for his slater who is believed to be on or en route to the Pacific coast. The police desire to question him concerning \$500,000 in Liberty bonds entrusted to Bischoff by customers wishing to speculate in oil securities.

PILLAR FLAME
RESULTS FROM
GAS WELL FIRE

(By Associated Press)
WHITTIER, Cal., Feb. 13.—A pillar of flame over 400 feet high shot into the air today and continued as a spectacular gas fire when a gas well at Santa Fe Springs became ignited through friction.

FORD REUSES
MODIFY OFFER
MADE TO U. S.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—W. B. Mayo, chief engineer officer for Henry Ford, notified the house military committee today that the Detroit manufacturer would decline to modify his proposal for lease and purchase of the government properties at Muscle Shoals, Alabama.

THE WEATHER	
Local Observer, United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures	5 a.m. Noon
Current	23 30
Wet bulb	20 26
Relative humidity	76 61
Temperatures, Extreme	
Maximum yesterday	30 60
Minimum yesterday	15 41

COLORED RACE HAS
LINCOLN DAY FEAST

The Lincoln Day banquet given last night by the colored residents of Tonopah was attended by about 30 persons, and all present reported having enjoyed one of the most pleasant affairs in a long period. The banquet was held at Musicians' hall and the feast covered a period of several hours, starting at 6 o'clock last night and ending at 1 o'clock this morning.

Cordozo Ross introduced the speakers of the evening, and short talks were made by nearly every one present. There were plenty of light refreshments, including soda water, cigars, sandwiches, etc.

Judge Averill delivered a stirring address that elicited much applause.

BRITISH COLUMBIA
IS SOME COLD SPOT

The editor of The Bonanza is in receipt of a letter, and also a copy of the Cranbrook Courier, under date of February 21, from Cranbrook, B. C., from Mrs. S. R. Wormington, a former resident of Tonopah. The writer asks how one would like to live where it had been below zero most of the time since November 15 last, while on several occasions it has dropped to 21 below. People there, Mrs. Wormington states, say it has been the coldest winter ever known, although there has not been much snow.

LUCKY BOY
MINE WILL
BE A GREAT
PRODUCER

A number of Tonopah men are in line to reap great riches in a mining way, and the success of the venture seems to be assured beyond doubt. With the arrival in Tonopah yesterday of John H. Miller of Hawthorne, announcement was made that four separate orebodies have been uncovered on the property of the Lucky Boy Consolidated Mines company, six miles west of Hawthorne, on the old Bodle grade, that give every promise of surrendering millions in lead and silver within the next few years.

Associated with Mr. Miller in the development of this property, the syndicate having taken over the Jesse Knights interests, composed of Utah capitalists, are William Watters, superintendent of the Tonopah Divide mine; Allen B. Rives, in charge of the John H. Miller offices in Tonopah; George Southworth, of the Southworth company, and Zeb Kendall, of San Francisco; J. E. Adams, of Los Angeles; and H. A. Miller, son of John H. Miller, of Hawthorne.

The holdings of the Lucky Boy Consolidated Mines company embrace 20,000 acres of highly mineralized patented ground, situated in Mineral county. The past production is given as in excess of \$1,500,000, during a period of two years. Of this amount 15,000 tons were shipped that brought a net average settlement of \$8750 a ton, with silver selling around 50 cents an ounce. Carload after carload was shipped which brought from \$150 to \$200 a ton, with the low price of silver prevailing.

The history of this property is replete with interest, and the fact that it has remained in idleness during recent years was occasioned through the association of the Knight interests of Utah. The monster vein of the Lucky Boy mine traverses the entire grade of the old Bodle road and for 35 years was tramped and

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LINCOLN DAY BANQUET BRINGS
NOTABLE GATHERING STALWARTS
TOGETHER IN PERFECT HARMONY

Abraham Lincoln, the great emancipator, must have been proud, in spirit at least, of the great compliment paid to his memory last night by the Republicans of Tonopah and Nye county. Had "Honest Abe" been present in person and witness of the 100 Republicans assembled at the banquet tables, grouping in half darkness, with only candles being in use, he would no doubt have felt perfectly at home, because in his day and age he was even deprived of the candle, being compelled to make use of the grease stick and pine knot.

While the banqueters started their efforts of simplicity to pay the deepest reverence to the memory of this greatest of all statesmen, with candles, Abraham Lincoln's spirit must have become a trifle restless and it must have been his desire that even greater light be shed upon the doctrines of the Republican party, by reason of the fact that 30 minutes from the time J. G. Crumley, the toastmaster, called the meeting to order, the electric lights again shed their radiance upon the scene, following a period of 22 hours when southern Nevada was in darkness as a result of the storms that had raged over the White mountains. If the wishes of a great and good man, who has passed to the Unknown Shore, were ever considered, it must have been that the Creator, in His infinite wisdom, was desirous of impressing upon the 100 banqueters that Abraham Lincoln, the great emancipator, was desirous of that assemblage being enlightened that all might be directed in the proper direction, at least politically, that the doctrine he expounded during his lifetime might be followed to the letter. God said, "Let there be light, and there was light," and to all intents and purposes Abraham Lincoln must have impressed upon our Readers the necessity for light, for light there was.

The Lincoln Day banquet brought forth one of the most notable gatherings of Republicans that was ever assembled in Tonopah. The lobby of the Mixpax hotel, where the banqueters assembled to pay homage to perhaps the greatest statesman of modern times, was decorated in colors of red, white and blue, and enthusiasm and patriotism dominated the occasion. The banquet was presided over by J. G. Crumley, who was in an unusually happy frame of mind, and although he cut his remarks short, they were well directed and most timely.

Preceding the serving of the viands, which, by the way, proved most pleasing to all, Miss Mary Ford rendered two vocal selections which elicited prolonged applause. The music was furnished by William F. Logan, violinist, and Mrs. H. J. Sullivan, pianist, who dispensed patriotic and popular airs throughout the evening.

The first speaker of the evening was Hon. Hugh Henry Brown, who took for his subject, "The Life of Lincoln." Mr. Brown seemed to be endowed by nature as the proper person to extol the beautiful life that was led by "Honest Abe." He dwelt at length upon the mastery of the lamented martyred president of the United States, both as regards physical prowess and greatness of mind. He told of Lincoln being a natural fighter, carrying his hearers from his early boyhood days up until the day of his death when he fought and died that all men, irrespective of race, color or creed, might be considered free and equal. He related of Lincoln's bigness of heart and his charitableness. He termed him the greatest master of the English language in the history of the

world, crediting this great success to the simplicity of his utterances that all might read and understand. He termed him "blessed," a remark properly bestowed, and closed his discourse by saying that he trusted that in the event this country ever faced another crisis similar to that of 1861-1865, that God grant we might be given another Lincoln.

Judge Mark R. Averill, the second speaker, took for his subject, "The Relations Between the History of Nevada and Lincoln's Birthday," a subject that he handled with skill and credit. Judge Averill is well qualified to discuss this question by reason of the fact that he has lived the greater portion of his life in Nevada, his father having settled at Virginia City in 1855.

Toastmaster Crumley next pre-

MOVIE ACTRESS
TAYLOR MURDER
REFUSES TALK

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 13.—Mary Miles Minter today issued a statement through her attorneys declaring that she had told the investigators "all that she knew" of the life of William Desmond Taylor. He said she could not conceive how any person could voluntarily wrong Taylor.

INVESTIGATION
OF SHIP BLAZE
IS COMMANDED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—The steamboat inspection service of the department of commerce today announced that the New York office had been ordered to thoroughly investigate the circumstances surrounding the destruction by fire of the former army transport Northern Pacific last Wednesday, as well as reports that the ship was undermanned at the time of the disaster.

RAISING FUNDS
FOR BONUS TO
BE MADE KNOWN

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—President Harding is expected to make known soon the administration's attitude toward means of raising funds for the payment of the soldier bonus. It was indicated today in high administration circles. Whether he would make known his position by a message to congress or through correspondence with congressional leaders was not disclosed, but it was believed that some statement would be forthcoming from the White House today.

The soldier bonus question was brought before the senate by Borah, who suggested that requests by former service men who are not impaired physically or mentally as a result of war service might embarrass the government in taking care of the wounded and disabled.

sent telegrams received from both Senator Tasker L. Odile and Samuel S. Aroniz, wherein they expressed their regret that they were unable to be present through force of circumstances. Mr. Aroniz's message, containing 500 words, was read by W. W. Booth, while Senator Odile's was read by Mr. Crumley. A message from J. Irvin Crowell, president of the Republican Club of Southern Nevada, who resides at Beatty, was also read, as well as one from J. L. "Jim" Butler, father of Tonopah, who expressed his regrets at not being able to be present on account of sickness. A message from W. C. Pitt, of Lovelock, was also read.

Harry H. Atkinson, the next and last speaker of the evening, was assigned the subject, "Achievements of the Present Administration," a task he handled in a highly pleasing and entertaining manner. Mr. Atkinson proved himself a deep student of political economy. He touched at some length upon the birth of this nation, the achievements of George Washington, the father of our country, saying that Washington was the father and Lincoln was the savior, and that it was but fitting that men should be made of the former in view of the fact that his birthday anniversary was but 10 days distant.

Mr. Atkinson discussed questions of the moment, such as the work accomplished by the present administration during the first year under the guidance of President Warren G. Harding. He explained the great saving this is being effected in the management of government affairs which has been reduced in one year from \$4,500,000,000 to \$2,500,000,000 through the budget system. He told of the assured progress of the bonus bill or ex-servicemen, and how the Democrats raised this all-important problem over to the present administration and of the happy results that are to be forthcoming. He related of the resumption of the wheels of industry in the big manufacturing plants of the country and of the resumption of work in the big copper mining camps of the west. The Democratic administration, he said, had left the mills, factories and mines without resource in the disposition of their wares, simply through the fact that the war-ravaged European countries were without money with which to buy our goods. Not that they did not want them, but because they had no money with which to purchase them. Touching upon the achievements of the tariff bill, which will shortly be enacted into law, he said that Fordney, the author, had no idea of reducing labor costs, but that on the other hand he wanted a tariff imposed upon competitive foreign goods that would permit of our factories and mills being operated to fullest capacity.

The last speaker was Hon. John H. Miller, state senator from Mineral county, who recently announced his candidacy for governor of this state, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held in September. Mr. Miller responded in a happy vein by saying the reason he did not answer Mr. Crumley's invitation to be present was that he did not have the silver as essential at the time, but that he had since succeeded in extracting a slab of the white metal from the Lucky Boy mine that should meet the expected requirements.

The banquet was served under the personal direction of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, of the Mixpax grill, who outdid themselves in serving a repast that was up to a high standard, all the delicacies of the season being included in the menu, which consisted of seven courses.

GRAZING FEES MUST
BE PAID BY MARCH 1

The forest supervisor at Austin, Nevada, has received the following information concerning payment of deferred grazing fees for the season 1921, from the Washington office: "All persons who do not pay cash for 1921 grazing fee or submit a proposition of settlement and a note by March 1, will be expected to pay the full forage value. This will be determined in the usual manner in grazing trespass cases on the number of stock actually grazed for the length of time they actually grazed, at the minimum rate of 4 cents per day per head for cattle and one-fourth cent per day per head for sheep. Those who desire to give their notes not later than March 1 will be charged the grazing fees plus 5 per cent additional and will be expected to pay interest at the rate of 4 per cent per month from December 1 on the grazing fee, but not on the amount of the penalty."

UNCLE JOE CANNON
STEPS OUT OF RACE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—Uncle Joe Cannon, oldest member of the house, today announced he will not be a candidate for re-election as representative from the eighteenth Illinois district.

TONG WAR
IS RAGING
NUMEROUS
LOCALITIES

(By Associated Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 13.—Chinese fighting throughout the west are reported to be under cover of an guard as a result of an apparent outbreak of a tong war last night when two Chinese were killed and a third wounded in Seattle, one slain in Battle, Montana, and another shot, probably fatally, in San Jose. In every instance the shootings were carried out in characteristic tong war fashion, the police reports indicated.

THIS DISTRICT
SUFFERED LOSS
RESULT STORM

After remaining in darkness from 10:45 o'clock Saturday night until Sunday evening at 8:45 o'clock, Tonopah and the surrounding districts again saw the light. The disruption in power and electric service was occasioned as a result of the storm that raged over the White mountains and which put out of commission two trunk lines of the Nevada-California Power company's high tension service.

The transmission station at Silver Peak caught fire as a result of high voltage on the telephone line paralleling the power lines, but the blaze was extinguished with little damage. Jack Coughlin, in charge of the station, received a severe jolt of electric juice and in landing struck on his shoulder, but no serious injury resulted.

All the mines of the district were compelled to suspend operations from Saturday night until last night with the exception of the Tonopah Extension, which brought its auxiliary steam plant into commission.

MILITARY
FORCES TO
REMAIN ON
IRISH SOIL

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Feb. 13.—The situation in Ireland, which had seemed to be improving under the apparent efforts of Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins to obtain the release of kidnapped Ulstermen, has become acutely dangerous as a result of the Clonsilla affray of Saturday. The Times Dublin correspondent says that dismay followed the new clash, in which four special Ulster constables were killed, eight wounded and six made prisoners, and the leader of the Sinn Féiners, Matthew Fitzpatrick, shot dead.

Michael Collins, head of the Irish provisional government, sent a cablegram warning the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic not to assist or countenance the coup d'état which he declared was being planned against the Irish provisional government, says a Dublin dispatch to the London Press association.

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—Evacuation of British troops and other military forces from Ireland has been unexpectedly suspended and sailing of steamers due to leave Holyhead for Liverpool with contingents aboard was canceled. It was thought the suspension might be due to events in Ulster.

(By Associated Press)
BELFAST, Feb. 13.—Beginning tonight the curfew, extending from 9 o'clock in the evening until 5 in the morning, will be reimposed. This action was decided upon in a conference between the lord mayor, the military commissioner and the police commissioner as a result of renewed disorders which continued sporadically today. Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon eight persons had been killed since Saturday.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO
HOLD SESSION TOMORROW

There was no meeting of the board of county commissioners today, sitting as both a county and town board, owing to the fact that it is a legal holiday. It was expected that a selection of a new chief of police would be announced this afternoon, but the matter has gone over until tomorrow. At the meeting Tuesday contracts for the furnishing of supplies to the county will probably be started.

**BUTLER
THEATRE**

—TODAY—

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animals utilized. Big lake of
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—TOMORROW—

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